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SENSING PROBE HAVING AN  
ANGLE OF ATTACK VANE

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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

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Submitted herewith is a copy (with English translation as appropriate) of an Official Supplemental Search Report of the European Patent Office in counterpart foreign application No. 04253847.0 filed June 28, 2004.

The U.S. Publication No. 2003/051546 A1 which was cited in the enclosed search report has issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,817,240, which is also listed on the Form 1449. The U.S. Publication and U.S. Patent No. 6,817,240 are based upon a PCT application that published in French as International Publication WO 01/44821, and which is listed on the Form 1449. A copy of publication WO 01/44821 is enclosed. This document was published on June 21, 2001, more than a year before the filing of the present application, and the abstract and drawing appears to conform to the disclosure of U.S. Patent No. 6,817,240 and its corresponding U.S. Publication No. 2003/051546 (the drawing appears identical), which are therefore considered to be prior art.

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